PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Tomokazu KUMEUCHI, et al.

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For:

POSITIVE ELECTRODE ACTIVE MATERIAL FOR SECONDARY BATTERY, POSITIVE ELECTRODE FOR SECONDARY BATTERY, SECONDARY BATTERY, AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING POSITIVE ELECTRODE ACTIVE MATERIAL FOR SECONDARY BATTERY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 25, 2008 from October 25, 2008 to December 25, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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